





Ryan Lafreniere - 1L Rep

Goals as an SBA Board Member:

I look forward to organizing events that are both fun and valuable for the campus community. Additionally, I plan on being an effective liaison between my classmates and the administration.

Advice to Incoming Students:

MCL is full of friendly students and professors. While walking around, don't be afraid to approach someone and strike up a conversation. Odds are the person you are speaking to has some real-world, legal experience that may interest you.



Megan Simons - 1L Hybrid Rep

What is your favorite memory so far in Law School?

My favorite memory of law school so far is probably when we established that my cat, Gus, who always watches school from my side, was elected the class mascot.

Advice to new oncoming students?

Its never too late. Today is the best day for you to start something new. If you wait for the perfect time, it will never happen.



Teresa Ceja Salcedo- 1L Hybrid Rep

What is your Law School Mantra and affirmation?

"I never dreamt of success. I worked for it." — Estée Lauder

What do you like most about MCL?

I love the feeling of community especially when my professors talk about their current cases, and I know the cities they are referencing.



Daisy Morales Alvarado – 1L Rep

What advice would you give to a new oncoming student?

Don't compare yourself to others. We all have our strengths and weaknesses. In times of self-doubt remember that it is only those who are persistent, and willing to study things deeply, who achieve the master work.

My life mantra/law school mantra:

"I am not a product of my circumstances. I am a product of my decisions." - Stephen Covey



Kelly Roidt- 2L Rep, Past 1L Rep

What are your goals as an SBA Board member?

To create opportunities for our cohorts to socialize and share advice with one another.

What advice would you give to a new oncoming student?

Read the cases and build your own IRAC. Only use online resources to supplement your understanding.



Jacques Sims- 3L Hybrid Rep

"You Only Live Once"



Beau Gillott, 2L- MCL Board of Trustees Rep

What advice would you give to a new oncoming student?

My advice to oncoming students is—don't let the nerves get the best of you. Ride the tiger and trust the process.

What do you like most about MCL?

I think my favorite thing about MCL is the small class sizes. Moving along with one cohort grows a sense of community.



Audrey Calderon- Hybrid 2L, Current Hybrid Vice President

My law school mantra is, "Don't fear failure, fear the regret of not giving it your all."

My favorite memories in law school are networking and mentoring with judges and attorneys.

Daniela Tinoco, Current Hybrid 4L Rep, Past President, Past



MCBA Rep, Past Secretary

What is your favorite memory as a Law Student so far?

Being the MCL SBA President last term was definitely the most memorable and fulfilling experience throughout my law school torture.

What advice would you give to a new incoming student?

Always PRIORITIZE time management AND networking and start as early on as possible! Time management will make your law school experience much smoother and easier to balance with your personal and professional life; as well as networking early on will expose you to legal professionals (attorneys, judges, etc.) with whom you will very likely work with one day in one way, shape or form.



Jack Gillott, Current Vice President, Past 1L Rep

What do you like most about MCL?

As a multi-generational resident of Monterey County, I appreciate being able to study the law in such a beautiful location while having my family nearby as a strong support system.

What advice would you give to a new oncoming student?

Having a strong community is essential to navigating both law school and a career. Reach out to people!



<u>Dipika Neier, Current President, Past</u> <u>Vice President, Past 1L Rep</u>

What do you like most about MCL?

Being taught by a network of working Attorneys, and Judges in the local community who have a depth of knowledge, legal expertise, and legal camaraderie with MCL Law students.

What advice would you give to a new oncoming student?

Have courage to be authentically you without neutralizing your uniqueness to fit in, and most importantly believe in yourself.



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